

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

Claims 1-10 (canceled).

Claim 11 (new): A fuel cell system comprising:

- a fuel cell which generates electric energy;
- a water tank which stores water from the fuel cell;
- an inlet port arranged to introduce moisture-containing exhaust gas from the fuel cell into the water tank;
- an exhaust port arranged to exhaust gas from the water tank; and
- a partition member which is provided in the water tank, at a position lower than the inlet port and arranged to partition an interior of the water tank into an upper space and a lower space.

Claim 12 (new): The fuel cell system according to Claim 11, wherein the partition member has a plurality of through-holes.

Claim 13 (new): The fuel cell system according to Claim 11, wherein the partition member is spaced by a gap from an inner wall of the water tank.

Claim 14 (new): The fuel cell system according to Claim 13, further comprising a projection provided in the water tank which is arranged to be spaced by a predetermined gap from the partition member and to block the gap between the inner wall of the water tank and the partition member in a vertical view.

Claim 15 (new): The fuel cell system according to Claim 11, wherein the inlet port and the exhaust port do not face each other in the water tank.

Claim 16 (new): The fuel cell system according to Claim 11, further comprising a water level sensor arranged to detect a level of water in the water tank and disposed at a position lower than the partition member in the water tank.

Claim 17 (new): The fuel cell system according to Claim 11, wherein the partition member has an upper surface that is slanted with respect to a surface of the water in the water tank.

Claim 18 (new): A fuel cell system comprising:
a fuel cell which generates electric energy by an electro-chemical reaction;
a water tank which stores water from the fuel cell; and
an intake pipe which has a trumpet-shaped inlet port arranged to introduce moisture-containing exhaust gas from the fuel cell into the water tank and is connected with the water tank.

Claim 19 (new): The fuel cell system according to Claim 11, wherein the fuel cell system is a direct methanol fuel cell system.

Claim 20 (new): A transportation apparatus including the fuel cell system according to Claim 11.